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## THE DAUNTLESS

Successfully Lands on the Cuban Coast An Expedition.

THE MODE OF RECOGNITION

Of Belligerent Rights Analyzed and Set For the

MOVEMENTS OF GEN. MAXIMO GOMEZ.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 6.—A dispatch received here from Key West states that the Dauntless has successfully landed its expedition in Cuba.

The expedition, it is said, is the one that the Three Friends attempted to land when pursued by a Spanish gunboat and left at No. Name Key, from which place it was taken last Friday by the Dauntless. The cargo, it is said, consists of 400,000 cartridges and 1,000 rifles, some dynamite, one twelve-pound rapid-firing Hotchkiss gun, medicine, etc. Fifty men also were carried by the vessel.

THE PRESS AGAINST HIM.

And Gen. Weyler Says He Can Not See By.

Madrid, Jan. 6.—The correspondent at Havana of the "Imparcial" of this city cables that he has had an interview with Capt. Gen. Weyler in which the General expressed surprise at the newspaper campaign in Spain against him. Gen. Weyler did not deny the existence of abuses, but said that his conscience was clear and that at the proper time he would show what he had done. Gen. Weyler also expressed the greatest satisfaction at the progress of the campaign in Pinar del Rio province, which, he asserted, was so far pacified that he could withdraw the greater part of the troops from that part of the island for use in the imminent operations in the provinces of Havana and Matanzas and as far as the military line of Puerto Principe.

Continuing Capt. Gen. Weyler is quoted as saying that he expected to finish crushing the insurrection in the province of Havana within a fortnight and achieve a total pacification of the island to Júcaros, the southern extremity of the military line in the province of Puerto Principe, long before the rainy season.

He further stated that he was inclined to conduct ceaseless operations until he had achieved his object, as the conditions prevailing were promising.

In conclusion the captain general said that his views on the political aspect of affairs were unchanged. He still believed that a military action in Cuba ought to be allowed, to take a free course until the end, and he did not consider that any reform movements were at present necessary.

METHODS OF RECOGNITION.

Interesting Memoranda Presented By Senator Hale.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Senator Hale today presented to the senate a memorandum on the method of recognition of foreign governments and foreign states by the government of the United States from 1789 to 1897, which, notwithstanding the document makes no such claim, is unquestionably intended to bear upon the question of the recognition of Cuba. Assuming that the recognition of the Spanish-American republics and by England may be taken as typical, the conclusions reached are:

Delicate independence can not be held to be established, and recognition is consequently not legitimate so long as a substantial struggle is being maintained by the formerly sovereign state for the recovery of its authority and that a mere pretension on the part of the formerly sovereign state, or a struggle so inadequate as to offer no reasonable ground for supposing that success may ultimately be obtained, is not enough to keep alive the rights of the state and to prevent foreign countries from falling under an obligation to recognize as a state the community claiming to have become one.

The memorandum takes up serially the various acts of recognition by this government, beginning with the recognition of the independence of the French republic in 1793, when President Washington received M. Genet, who had been duly accredited as minister after the proclamation of the republic by the convention of 1792. He calls attention to the fact that the order that this government might be prompt in recognition of the various changes in the French form of government at this critical period, the president supplied the American minister to Paris with a blank for that purpose.

Coming down to the close of the Franco-German war in 1870, when the new republic was proclaimed by Gambetta, it is represented that Mr. Washburn, our minister at Paris, was authorized by telegraph from the secretary of state to give recognition, the president tendering his congratulations.

CALL ON McKINLEY.

Senator Pierra Talks to the President-Elect of the Cuban Situation.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 5.—It developed today that Senator F. G. Pierra,

of the Cuban Junta, had a conference with President-elect McKinley at the home of Mr. M. A. Hanna Sunday, at which the entire Cuban situation was thoroughly canvassed.

Maj. McKinley did not indicate what use he would make of the information, nor what stand he proposed to take when his time should come. It is understood, however, that he will treat of the Cuban difficulties at some length in his message to the extra session of Congress.

Maj. McKinley when seen today concerning the matter said: "Yes, Senator Pierra called upon me here and we had a very pleasant chat. He explained at some length the claims of the friends of the insurgents with regard to the war there. There is nothing further I can say regarding the call."

A WILD RUMOR

That Maceo's Army Has Agreed to Capitulate.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 6.—A wild rumor has gained currency here, which, however, cannot be traced to a authoritative source, to the effect that Maceo's army in Pinar del Rio has agreed to surrender. Little credence is given the report, which is set down as a Spanish canard.

Maximo Gomez's Movements.

Madrid, Jan. 6.—A private telegram received here from Havana says that Maximo Gomez, the insurgent leader, has crossed the military line to Puerto Principe, which extends from Jacaro, on the south coast, to Moron, in the northern part of the province.

Will Not Visit Cuba.

Washington, Jan. 6.—There is no truth in the report that Senator Sherman, chairman of the Foreign Relations committee, intends to visit Cuba.

MARRIED AT PRINCETON.

Mr. Rob Cox, of Mayfield, Claims a Bride.

Met His Fiance Here Night Before Last—She Lived in Arkansas.

Mr. Robt. Cox and bride, of Mayfield, arrived in the city this morning on the Evansville, packet, en route home. Yesterday they were married in Princeton, Ky.

The wedding was quite romantic.

For several weeks past Miss May Windsor, of Arkansas, had been on a visit to Mrs. Cox, of the Southern Hotel, at Mayfield. It was there that she met her future husband.

The couple fell in love, planned the wedding, and Mr. Cox came to Paducah day before yesterday. Miss Windsor left on the "canon-ball" that night for home, but Mr. Cox boarded the train here and they were married at Princeton, proceeding to Evansville on a short bridal tour.

The bride is a most popular and estimable young lady, and the groom is a worthy and promising business man of Mayfield, a son of Mr. B. Cox, the dry goods merchant. They will reside in Mayfield.

SMALL POX SCARE.

Colored Man Found at Brooklyn Yesterday.

The Doctors Said He Had Small Pox, But It Was Measles.

There was intense excitement in Brooklyn, Ill., yesterday. Smallpox always sets a place ago, especially if it be the size of Brooklyn, and the people of Brooklyn were convinced of the startling fact that small-pox had appeared in their midst.

The alarm was occasioned by the discovery of a colored man in a house near the levee. He was covered with eruptions that bore every symptom of the loathsome disease. Doctors were called, and no one could be induced to go near the place but the doctors. The latter said it was smallpox, but admitted finally that there might be a little doubt of it, and agreed to wait until today before sending the patient to the Metropolis pet house.

This morning the relief of the citizens can well be imagined when the manly development to be nothing worse than measles, although these are probably bad enough. The darky will not be sent to the pet house and the inhabitants of Brooklyn will not desert the town.

"TEXAS" BURNED.

But This "Texas" Was in Mayfield.

Several Houses Destroyed By Fire in Mayfield.

There was a disastrous fire at Mayfield last night. Passengers on the early train this morning report that "Texas," a portion of Mayfield made up of dives and dens of low character, was destroyed by the flames at an early hour, half a dozen or more dwellings being consumed.

"Texas" was a row of small houses and from accounts they were all burned. The origin of the fire is unknown.

## MILITIA CALLED

To Suppress the Toll Gate Raiders at Harrodsburg.

A \$200,000 FIRE IN MEXICO.

Secretary Carlisle to Become Counsel for the Equitable.

PRESIDENT-ELECT CONFERS WITH ALLISON

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 6.—Governor Bradley yesterday ordered to Harrodsburg for duty the Lexington company of the Kentucky State Guard to co-operate with the Harrodsburg company in the suppression of expected outbreaks of the toll gate raiders said to be on their way to Mercer county 100 strong to capture and destroy every gate in the county.

Col. E. H. Gaither, of Frankfort, was ordered to take charge of the militia and arrived at Lexington late yesterday afternoon. The militia was quickly assembled and were at the armory thirty strong, by 8:30 o'clock and left for the scene of expected trouble at 9.

It is stated this action was the result of reports received by Governor Bradley by detectives sent into Washington and Anderson counties to learn the date of the next proposed raid.

The information was to the effect that the raiders would begin work about 2 o'clock a. m. today.

The companies were divided into squads and stationed at five different gates, as it was learned the raiders were expected to divide into squads in order to effect the destruction of all the gates in a single night.

The spies who had been watching and mingling with the raiders met the militia and informed them that the raiders were gathering in force on the northern border of the county and were probably well on their way. Notwithstanding all these reports no raiders appeared and this morning the militia was disbanded. A later dispatch states that it may be called again and that the detectives declare their intention to capture the raiders or die in the attempt.

ATTEMPTED TO WRECK IT.

Passenger Train Carrying Cuban Recruits Narrowly Escapes Wrecking by Spanish Spies.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 6.—A passenger train carrying a number of men, reported to be on their way to join the Cuban army, narrowly escaped being wrecked near Tampa, Florida, this morning.

The evidences of a deliberate plot to destroy the train are abundant. The attempt is believed to have been made by persons in the employ of the Spanish, to prevent the embarkation of the supposed recruits.

SINKING FUND.

Commissioners Anxious to Abandon the Branch Penitentiary at Eddyville.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 6.—One thing that several of the sinking fund commissioners are pre-eminently anxious shall be attended to during the extra session is an act authorizing them to abandon the Eddyville branch penitentiary.

They believe that the erection of the costly prison there was a big and expensive blunder, and that the state has been too long confessing this blunder. They believe that all the prisoners should be confined within one set of walls and under one set of officers at Frankfort. They have already obtained the consent of the governor to mention "state prisons" in his call for the extra session, and are now communicating with such legislators as they believe can be persuaded to vote for the act authorizing the change.

Secretary Carlisle's Future.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Negotiations have been in progress for some time by the Equitable Life Assurance Society to induce Secretary Carlisle to become counsel for that company. It is now about settled

that Mr. Carlisle's services will be secured.

A \$200,000 FIRE.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 6.—A fire in Santa Cruz, Mexico this morning entailed a loss of \$200,000, an entire business block being consumed.

THE SENATORIAL FIGHT.

Discussed by Judge Burnham and Gov. Bradley.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 6.—(Special to Courier-Journal.)—Appellate Judge A. R. Burnham had a long consultation with the governor this morning, and the gossip says the conference was devoted to a discussion of the senatorial situation. There are those who doubt the report that Judge Burnham favors Yerkes for senator, and is really, so far as he can take part at all, for Hunter. It is known that Judge Burnham expressed himself against the wisdom of electing Hunter some time ago. It is also certain that he has recently intimated a preference for Yerkes.

The visit of Hon. A. J. Carroll to the governor this morning was also commented upon as having reference to the extra session and the senatorial fight. Mr. Carroll, who is here in the circuit court, really had no business with the executive except as relates to his connection as an attorney with the Central Lunatic Asylum. As between the Republican candidates, Mr. Carroll is, of course, for his father-in-law, Judge Holt. He says, however, that he is busy with the practice of law and expects to stick to it even during an extra session, except for such times as his help and vote will be needed to pass the necessary revenue legislation.

TWELVE MURDERERS

PARDONED.

Gov. Altgeld Threw Open the Doors of Joliet Prison.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 5.—Gov. Altgeld today pardoned twenty convicts, twelve of whom were convicted of murder. The sentences of the latter ranged from short terms for manslaughter to imprisonment for life for murder in the first degree. Their names are: Henry Jones, John F. Burke, Charles Dixon, Goin Harris, William Landers, John Crowley, Frank Weber, John Walker, Charles Robinson, Lawrence Farley, Kathryn Kelmner and Win. B. Sibert.

The reason given by the Governor for the issuance of the pardons was that they were recommended by the State's attorneys of the counties represented.

CONTEST FILED.

The Republicans of Tennessee Formally Begin Proceedings.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 6.—The Republicans have today taken steps to prosecute the contest in favor of G. N. Tillman for governor. The petition was filed immediately after the senate had completed its organization.

The document is modeled after that of Mr. Evans in his contest of the seat of Gov. Turney. Mr. Tillman claims to have received the highest number of legal votes and that this fact is not shown by the returns because of the large number of fraudulent votes cast and other violations of law. He therefore asks to be allowed to appear and contest the election.

Run on the Erie National.

Erie, Pa., Jan. 6.—The Second National Bank of this city has withdrawn a two days run, inaugurated by its depositors, and is still paying all who demand their money.

Clemency Asked For Laughlin.

Frankfort, Jan. 6.—The attorneys for the condemned murderer, Laughlin, confined at Covington, for the murder committed at Augusta, and who is to hang on Saturday, are urging upon the governor the propriety of extending executive clemency to the condemned man who, it is claimed is insane. It is not believed the governor can be induced to interfere.

McKinley and Allison.

Canton, O., Jan. 6.—President-elect McKinley and Senator Allison have been engaged in a close conference today. It is believed the matters under consideration relate to the cabinet and that Mr. Allison is to be made secretary of state.

## CIRCUIT COURT.

Only Two Judgments Rendered To-Day.

Several Cases Set by the Court—Lunacy Cases.

Little has been done in the circuit court today. The crazy colored railroader who was lodged in jail yesterday was to be tried at 2 o'clock this afternoon on a writ of lunatic inquiring.

The darkey was brought into court this afternoon and a jury was in readiness, but it was learned that no information had been filed against him. An effort was made to obtain his name but he would not speak. The jury was dismissed until 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

In the case of Bank of Murray against F. L. Turner, on a note, judgment was rendered for \$1,024.33.

In the case of Western District Warehouse Co. vs. J. S. Peal, judgment was rendered for \$613.30.

Sheriff Holland filed report of sale in the case of C. H. King vs. John Rogers.

The following cases were set down: M. Livingston, administrator, vs. Tennessee and Ohio River Transportation Company twenty-first day of the term.

W. H. Byrd vs. People's Railway Company, seventeenth day of the term.

S. H. Clark vs. People's Railway Company, tenth day of the term.

Mrs. Bailey vs. People's Railway Company, eighteenth day of the term.

Robt. Cochran vs. Paducah Land, Coal and Iron Company, seventh day of the term.

Della Courtney vs. James Killigrew, for breach of promise, sixteenth day of the term.

F. H. Child vs. E. S. Thompson, fifteenth day of the term.

MARKETS.

(Reported Daily by Lacy Grain Company.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—May wheat opened at 89 1/2-5/8 its highest point was 89 1/2-5/8 and closed at 81 1/2 b.

May corn opened at 25 1/2 and closed at 25 1/4-3/8.

May oats opened at 19 1/2 and closed at 18 1/2.

May pork opened at \$7.85 and closed at \$7.80.

May lard opened at \$3.97 and closed at \$3.94.

March cotton opened at \$6.99 and closed at \$7.02-3/4.

May cotton opened at \$7.15 and closed at \$7.17.

Clearances today of wheat and flour, 220,000 bushels.

Barnett After the Collectorship.

Cleveland, Jan. 6.—C. M. Barnett, of Kentucky, is here calling on Mr. Hanna, and it is said is clinching his efforts to secure the collectorship for the Second District of Kentucky.

The Gigantic Lumber Trust of Seattle Is No More.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 6.—The Central Lumber Co., of California, the most stupendous trust ever organized on the Pacific coast, is a thing of the past. No such combine was ever effected for the control of a market on this coast, as it controlled every cargo mill on the coast but three.

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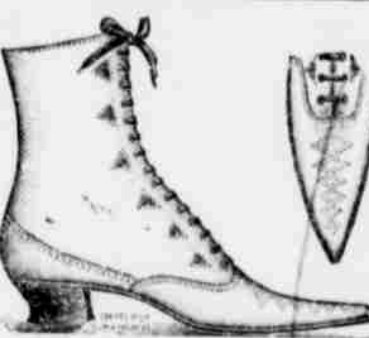
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